

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Dejan Jovovic et al.  
Serial No.: 10/821,775  
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Group Art Unit: 3726  
Confirmation No.: 1452  
Examiner: Eric B. Compton  
Title: **METHOD FOR PRODUCING A TUBULAR SPRING AND AN ACTUATOR UNIT COMPRISING ONE SUCH TUBULAR SPRING**

**MAIL STOP – RCE**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) AND AMENDMENT**

In response to the Final Office Action mailed June 23, 2006 and Advisory Action mailed August 29, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit the following remarks set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

**Amendments to Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.